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Request for Extension Of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 37 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time in which to file the Amendment and Response (submitted herewith) in the above-captioned application. This extension of time will extend the period for reply to expire on August 6, 2001 (the Office Action having been mailed February 5, 2001, and August 5, 2001 being a Sunday).

The enclosed check for \$890.00 is for the fee for this three month Extension of Time. Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required by this action, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1435. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

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